

號三十百三千六第 No. 6313 日二念月正年寅戌緒光 HONGKONG, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD, 1878. 號三十二月二英 港香 PRICE \$21 PEB MONTH. SHIPPING. NOTICES OF FIRMS TO BE LET. AUCTIONS. INTIMATIONS INTIMATIONS. INTIMATIONS. NOTICE. PUBLIC AUCTION. ARRIVALS. TO LET. FOR SALE. ONGKONG HORTICULTURAL THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-TR. THOMAS ISAAO ROSE is autho-ROUND FLOOR of No. 50, Queen's February 21, PRTER, German bark, 403, R. EXHIBITION SOCIETY. PANY LIMITED. IVA. rised to conduct the Business of THE ARGE TAKASIMA COAL ROAD CENTRAL. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have re-Richelson, Cardiff 1st October, Coals. BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, at HONGRONG, coived instructions to Sell by Public Auc-THOS. G. GLOVER, er Godown, at 38 per Ton. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. The ANNUAL FLOWER and VEGE MEYER & Co. and to SIGN per procuration. No. 7. Queen's Road Control. TABLE SHOW will be held in the PUBLIC February 22, MAHARAJAH, British str., 994, THIS DAY, JOHN HARVEY. Hongkong, 16th January, 1878. Notice is hereby given, that the SEVENTH THOS. G. GLOVER, GARDENS THIS DAY, the 23rd February. Clark, Saigon 18th February, General. No. 7, Queen's Road Central, and East Point ORDINARY MEETING of the SHARE. Managing Director, the 23rd February, at Noon, on Board, ADMISSION-FIFTY CENTS. TO LET. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 19th February, 1878. [1m342] HOLDERS of the above Company will be held The British Barque London, 14th December, 1877. Payment at the Gates, or Tickets may be had TO. 8. WEST TERRACE. Possession on at the HEAR OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on. February 22, NORMANDY, British str., 664, ALPHINGTON" of Messrs. Dane, Crawford & Co. the lat of March. NOTICE FRIDAY, the 22nd Morch, 1878, at 3 o'clock Ellis, Sydney 31st January, and Cook-GEORGE SKELTON YUILL of 326 Tons Register, or of about 8,000 picula Any information required by intending Es Carrying Capacity, with all her TACKLE, AP-P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of town 7th February, Mails and Genelibitors can be obtained by applying to authorised to SIGN our FIRM from this T. ALGAR, DRISCOL the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1877. ral.—GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. PAREL, and INVENTORY. has just received an Invoice of IRON 9, Hollywood Road. W. M. B. ARTHUR. The Vessel was built under Lloyds' special BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. February 22, ATALANTA, German steamer, BEDSTEADS, various sizes. Hongkong, 1st February, 1878 Honorary Secretary. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company survey at Berwick-on-Tweed in 1856, Classed 12 Hongkong, 1st February, 1878. 783, Petersen, Saigon L6th February A Choice Selection of WALL PAPER, and Hongkong, 8th February, 1878. will be CLOSED from the 8th March to the years Al at Lloyds, and continued in 1868 A1 TO LET. a few Pieces of BLACK GLACE and GROS Rice.—Siemssen & Co. 22nd March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board, for 8 years. She was re-metalled FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWN February 22, Conquest, British str., 81 A on the Prays, Wanchi. GRAIN SILKS FR. CHARLES DAVID BOTTOMLEY London in July, 1875. To insure a speedy clearance the above Goods-V. was admitted a PARTNER in our Firm A LL CLAIMS against the Back "Ar Scott, Haiphong 18th Feb., and Hoihow TERMS.—One third of the Purchase Money to be paid on fall of the hammer, the remainder OLYPHANT & Go. Apply to on the 1st July, 1877.
DOUGLAS LAPRATE & Co. will be sold CHEAP. PHINGTON " or the MASTER, Captain 20th, Rice.-Kwong LEE YUEN. General Agents. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, 18th Fabruary, 1878. CUNNINGHAM, must be presented to Messrs. Hongkong, 22pd February, 1878. Hongkong, 1st March, 1877. tf10 upon transfer being effected. The Vessel is at Hongkong, 22nd September, 1877. WIELER & Co. for settlement before the sale of FOR SALE. Purchaser's risk immediately after fall of ham-TO LET. CLEARANCES. the said Vessel on SATURDAY, or they will NOTICE. Ex "CITY OF PEKING." AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, THE GROUND FLOOR of No. 39, Queen's not be recognised. MERICAN HAMS and BACON, best Hongkong, 24th January, 1878. R. T. J. THOMAS, has established him-THE Undersigned, having established there-Roap, with Godown underneath; Com-FEBRUARY 22ND Hongkong, 21st February, 1878. quality: MESS BEEF and PORK pradore and Servants' Offices. Also additional IV. self in Hongkong as SUB-MARINE selves from 1868 as COMMISSION Japan, German 3-m. sch., for Whampoa. PUBLIC AUCTION. Half Barrels: DUTCH-HERRINGS, 12 in Tin TATANTED, in a Mercantile Firm, an DIVER, and baving DIVING APPARATUS AL-AGENTS and CUSTOMS BROKERS under Godown accommodation if required. Immediate W. Cores de Vries, British str., for Shanghai. VV ASSISTANT capable of undertaking ways READY, is prepared to examine Ships' DUTCH CHEESE, DUTCH SOUR KROU HE Undersigned has received instructions the Style or Firm of Correspondence, and with a knowledge of gene-Bottoms and repair them affoat. Anchors and ral business. Address "A. C." Office of this other Property recovered. Salvage operations Emuy, Spanish steamer, for Amoy. from D. C. TEAVEES, Esq., to Sell by MON, BROWN and WHITE BEANS, &c. in Stone Jars, AMERICAN SMOKED SAL Poo Yuen Kung at Hongkong, TURNER & Co. Cuba, British bark, for Newchwang. Hongkong, 4th October, 1877. Poo Yuan Ching at Canton. [1496 | Public Auction, on Chinking, British steamer; for Ningpo and J. F. SCHEFFER apon wrecks undertaken up to Twenty-five Poo Yuen Kung at Shangual, Hongkong, 19th February, 1878. MONDAY. TO LET. Shanghai. 54, Praya Central, Fathoms.—Apply No. 10, ICE HOUSE LAND. the 25th day of February, 1878, at 2 o'clock P.M. POO YUEN CHEONG at HANKOW. TO. 9, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, with Hongkong, 8th January, 1878. TATANTED, by a Gentleman of 14 years' Hongkong, 23rd February, 1878. Bonita, German 3-m. schooner, for Tientsin. beg to notify the Public that a new House of the at his Residence No. 3. West Torrace. Godowns attached. experience in China, a SITUATION same business, which is to be opened by some of Killarney, British steamer, for Bangkok. The whole of the HOUSEHOED FURNI-NOTICE. FOR SALE. No. 2, PEDDAR'S HILL. as BOOKKEEPER or AGENT in any one of Amoy, British steamer, for Shanghai. their resigned Employes; is a separate establish-TURE, &c., comprising DRAWING, DINING. No. 2, SEYMOUR TERRACE. ment altogether, they having no interest whatand BEDROOM FURNITURE. TABLES. the Treaty Ports of China or Japan. Address Norna, British steamer, for Swatow. SBORNE WALLSEND COLLIERY TUTLER PALMER & Co. CHAIRS SOFAS, ENGRAVINGS, MIR-C. D. K., Office of this Paper, MOUNT KEIRA. WOLLONGONG. Lord of the Isles, British bank, for Takao. DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 10th January, 1878. RORS LAMPS SIDEBOARD, CROCKERY, CLARETS, at \$12, \$10, \$7, \$6, \$51, and \$41 PER POO YUEN & Co. 1m147 Hongkong, 1st February, 1878. The Proprietor of the above Colliery has now GLASS and PLATED WARE BED Hongkong, 20th January, 1878. [lm304 CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTE his own Offices in Sydney, for the transaction of DEPARTURES. TO LET. STEADS. WARDROBES, CHEST of SHERRIES, at \$101, \$9, \$81, and \$81 PER NOTICE. MAIRLEA, WEST POINT, from let April February 22. Anontees. British steamer. for business connected therewith under the direc-THE OFFICERS, 74TH HIGHLANDERS DRAWERS, &c. CASE OF I DOZEN QUARTS. AR. H. F. MEYERINK has been admitted. SHIRLEY HOUSE, WEST POINT, im will not hold themselves RESPONSIBL Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be CHAMPAGNE, at \$13 PER CASE OF 2 DOZEN tion of Mr. F. P. MACCABE, where orders for a PARTNER in our Firm from this mediately. Coal will receive prompt attention from First for any DEBTS contracted by their Messman, on view on and after SATURDAY, the 23rd inst. February 22, Glamobganshire, Brit. bark, FLETCHERS' BUILDINGS, either as enday of January now next ensuing. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in CHAMPAGNE, at \$12 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN HING KEE. for Newchwang. MEYER & Co.: FRANK OSBORNE. ire Houses, or in Flats, or Apartments. Hongkong, 6th February, 1878. Bank Notes. All Lots, with all faults and er-February 22, MADELINE, German bark, for GODOWNS, STABLING, and STORAGE. Hongkong, 1st January, 1878. by his Attorney, F. P. MACCABE. rors of description, at Purchasers' risk on the HOCK, at \$81 PRE CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. CAUTION. every description. December 10th, 1877. NOTICE. fall of the hammer. BRANDIES, * ** *** and ****, at \$61, \$74, \$9 February 22, Jessie Jameison, Brit. bark, HAVE This Day established myself at this Port as a MERCHANT and COMMIS. Temporary Offices, 2, New Pitt-street, Syd-J. M. ARMSTRONG, TIO MERCHANTS AND OTHERS. and \$104 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON, 16y. N.S. W February 22, Japan, German 3-m. schooner, SION AGENT, under the Style or Firm of For all further Particulars, apply to WACHTER'S CHAMPAGNE. Hongkong, 13th Pebruary, 1878. It having recently come to the knowledge of Supreme Court House. AS SUPPLIED TO H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. for Whanipoa. GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., who will hence-Massrs. MOORE & MANRY, of No. 3. Billiter PUBLIC AUCTION. Hongkong, 18th February, 1878. February 22, W. Comes DE VRIES, Brit. str., forward conduct the Agency of the AUSTRALA-TTE-CHEONG. Square, in the City of London, and also of Dud-318 PER DOZEN QUARTS. SIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. THE Undersigned has received instructions for Shanghai ley, in the County of Worsester, England, that TO LET. AGENT-MIN. KING. Detailed Price Lists on application to G. R. STEVENS. large quantities of Belgian and other common February 22, Emuy, Spanish str., for Amoy. MALL GODOWN in DUDDELL STREET. L to Sell by Public Anction, on 48. QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. Hongkong, 29th December, 1877. Apply to qualities of Nuil Rod Iron have been FRAUDU SIEMSSEN & Co. February 22, Amoy, Brit. str., for Shanghai TUESDAY. LENTLY MARKED with their well-known M & M C H I N A W A R E D E A L E R. KYLE AND BAIN. Hongkong, 1st November, 1877. February 22, Chinkland, British str., for the 26th February, 1878, at Noon, at the Go-CROWN Brand, and sold in the Markets of China Ice House. Has always on hand all sorts of Superfine. Ningpo and Shanghai. R. HORATIO GAY JAMES was addowns of Kwong SENG TAL Burd Lane, FOR SALE. and Japan as being of their manufacture, where-Hongkong, 8th February, 1878. KIANG SI PROVINCE CHINAWARE ... [1m290]VI mitted a PARTNER in our Firm on the following February 22, Tanais: French steamer, for. by their brand has been brought into disrepute. EMIGRANT STORES. the let January, 1878. TO LET. FEW COPIES of the following PUB for Bale. and they have suffered very material injury. THE DWELLING HOUSE & OFFICES GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. ox Ship "CHARTER OAK":-LICATIONS at the Daily Press Office. February 22, FLODDEN, Brit. str., for Takeo. SAP-SAM-HONG, CANTON. To guard against such neferious practices in Hongkong, 5th January, 1878. No. 1, D'AGUILAR STREET, lately in the Barrels BEEF and PORK, FISH, BEANS, February 22, LORD OF THE ISLES, Brit. bark An Eastern Love Story. future, Messrs. Moore & Maney desire to in-PLUM and other SAUCES, PICKLES, OIL occupation of Messes. DougLAS LAPRAIR & Co. NOTICE. FOR SALE, a GIG, 25 it, by 4 ft. 10 in., form all purchasers of Nail Rods that every K U S A J A T A K A Y A THREE OFFICES in CLUB CHAMBERS. SALT, RICE BOWLS, COOKING UTEN. with the necessary Oars, Sails, Masts, bundle of their Iron will be bound with An THE Undersigned have been appointed by The BUNGALOW, No. 1. OLD BAILEY SILE, MEDICINES, and Sundry of Last books Rowlocks Gratings Volklings LEAST ONE BAND BEARING THEIR NAME and REGISTERED TRADE MARK as below:— PASSENGERS. Messrs, Pigou, Wilks, and Laurence, By Thomas Steele. STRRET. TICLES. Cushions, Awning Awning Stanchions, &c., Limited, Gunpowder Manufacturers, of Dart-ARRIVED. &c.; together with a Pair of DAVITS, with ford and Battle, their SOLE AGENTS in Per Normanby, str., from Sydney, &c. :-DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 490 BAGS RICE THE WHEEL OF THE LAW. Blocks, Falls, and Slings. For view, apply at MOORE & MANBY-M & M CROWN 102 Ohinese. Hongkong, 7th February, 1878. TERMS OF SALE - Cash before delivery in Honokone and China. the Office of this Paper. BUDDHISM. Per Conquest, str., from Haiphong, &c. MEYER & Co. Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, REFINED. ILLUSTRATED FROM STAMESE SOURCES. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1878. 24 Chinese. Hongkong, 6th February, 1878. with all faults and errors of description, at Pur-HONGKONG HOTEL. By HENET ALABASTEE. And we, as Solicitors on their behalf, give Por Atalanta, str., from Saigon :-THE STAGEOTEL olasers' risk on the full of the hammer. NOTICE. notice that they will TAKE all and avery PRO-5 Chinese. J. M. ARMSTRONG. 10. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, TENDERS are invited for a LEASE of the A CATENA'OF BUDDHIST SCRIPTURES Per Maharajah, str., from Saigon :-HAVE THIS DAY established myself at CEEDINGS possible to restrain any person of per-Anctioneer. HONGKONG HOTEL, the present Five-HONGKONG. FROM THE CHINESE. sons using or imitating such Trade Mark; 4 Chinese. this Port; under the Style or Firm. Hongkong, 21st February, 1878. yearly Lease expiring on the 31st August, 1878. SEALED TENDERS to be sent in on or be-By SAMUEL BEAL Is now undergoing Extensive Alterations Dated this 5th day of December, 1877. WEST POINT IRON WORKS. and REPAIRS, and will be ENTIRELY RE-FUR-Per Emuy, str., for Amoy:-LAWRANCE, PLEWS, & BARER, FOR SALE. ENGINEERS AND BOILERMAKERS, fore the 31st March, 1878, to the SECRETARY of 100 Chinese. 14, Old Jewry Chambers, London, E.C. NISHED and OPENED for BUSINESS on March HEIDSIECK'S CHAMPAGNE, the HONGRONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED ANE CRAWFORD & Co Per Chinking, str., for Ningpo, &c. -Solicitors for MOORE & MANEY. who will supply any information required. 4th, 1878, under new Management. WILLIAM DUNPHY & CO. 1874. "WEISSLACK." 10 Chinese. By Order of the Directors, . \$19.... per case of 2 dozen pints. A CARD. First rate accommodation for Visitors. Late Manager of the Novelty Iron Works, TO DEPART. LOUIS HAUSCHILD, GENERAL STOREKEEPERS. \$18..... per case of I dozen quarts. Attached to the Hotel is a commodious Bil-Per Cuba, for Newohwang :-TR. W. C. EASTLACKE, DENTIST CHATEAU LEOVILLE POYFERRE, 1869 Secretary. WM. DUNPHY. . can be consulted at his rooms; No. 1 hard Room. Hongkong, 15th September, 1877. "VIN DES PRINCES." Hongkong, 10th December, 1877. [6m1810 WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS. ALEXANDRA TERRACE, Daily, from 10-WINES and SPIRITS of the BEST \$18.....per case of 1 dozen quarts. REPORTS SUN FIRE OFFICE A.M. to 4 P.M. QUALITY ONLY. PALMER MARGAUX TYONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING FIGHE Undersigned is prepared to Grant The British steamship Maharajak reports left Hongkong, 6th February, 1878. [1m276 NEWS AGENTS. 87 per case of 1 dozen quarts. Saigon on 18th February, and had fresh N.E. ROPRIETOR-J. COOK. CORPORATION. Policies against Fire to the extent of DENTAL NOTICE. \$8per case of 2 dozen pints, STAC HOTEL, QUEEN'S ROAD. \$50,000 on First class Risks. PAID-UP CAPITAL5.000.000 of Dollars. AUCTIONEERS. CHATEAU BELAIR. DR. ROGERS begs to intimate that he has RETURNED, and is now READY to A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon The German steamship Atalanta reports left BESERVE FUND 1.000,000 of Dollars. E - H I N G. IRON, YELLOW METAL, COPPER, \$7 per case of 1 dozen quarts. the Current Local Rates of Premia will be al-Saigon on 16th February, and had moderate LORMONT ----- COURT OF DIRECTORS RECEIVE PATIENTS. lowed-upon Insurances effected with this Office. monsoon and fine weather until the 20th instant; No. 7, ARBUTHNOT ROAD.per case of I dozen quarts from thence fresh breeze and high sea and thick Chairman—F. D. Sassoon, Esq. T. G. LINSTEAD, AND HARDWARE MERCHANT \$6per case of 2 dozen pints. Hongkong, 23rd November, 1877. Agent, Sun Fire Office. Deputy Chairman-WM. H. FORRES. Esq. No. 16, Kwong Yune, East Street, weather to port. AGENTS FOR Hon. W. Keswick. Adam Lind, Esq. Wilhelm Reiners, Esq. Hongkong, 4th October, 1876, SIEMSSEN & Co. : HONGKONG. NOTICE The British steamship Conquest reports left Haiphong 18th February. Met the British L. Daltymple, Esq. Hongkong, 1st May, 1876. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM-Also Purchaser of Old Yellow Metal and Copper. Hoppine, Esq. THE LONDON AND CHINA EXPRESS CHERMAN OFFICERS, TEACHERS TICTORIA DISPENSARY: PANY OF MANCHESTER AND steamship Thates, bound in. In port the steam-CHIEF MANAGER. TONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK LONDON CLERKS, &c., can be ENGAGED by Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq., ships Charlton, Zamboanga, Holyrood, and Mu-LL COMPANY, LIMITED. MANAGER. THE OVERLAND MAIL ESTABLISHED 1865. ROLTSCH AND SCHELLENBERGER, dagascar. Arrived in Hollow at moon on the THE Undersigned have been appointed Shanghai-EWEN CAMERON, Esq. 19th, left again at noon on the 20th, and experi-Agents for the above Company at Hong. Frankfurt-on-the-Main (Germany), NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK WM. CRUICKSHANK, enced strong N.E. monsoon and heavy sea kong, Canten, Foochow, Shanghai, and Han-AND THE DISPENSING CHEMIST & DRUGGIST, throughout the passage. kow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at HONGKONG -INTEREST ALLOWED. CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are ALGAR On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of Current Rates. rounested to send in an Account of Business IMPORTER of DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES. The German bark Peter reports left Cardiff HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENT "THE HOME NEWS." contributed during the half-year, ended 31st per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. on 1st October. Passed Lundy Island the next PATENT MEDICINES, and TOILET RENTS COLLECTED. On Fixed Deposits :--Hongkong, 45th October, 1868. December, 1877, on or before the 28th instant, day, and had light variable winds until catching BROWN, JONES & CO., For 3 months 2 per cent per annum REQUISITES. on which date the Accounts will be closed. the N.E. trades, then fresh and steady weather. UNDERTAKERS. THE LONDON ASSURANCE For 6 months 4 per cent, per annum. MANUFACTURER OF ALL KINDS OF By Order of the Directors, After, passing the Cape de Verds had variable MOURNING STATIONERY, &c. For 12 months 5 per cent, per annum. D. GILLIES, INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER OF HIS winds for twelve days; crossed the line on the GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS. MONUMENTS ERECTED. AERATED WATERS. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. 2nd November, in longititude 28 W. Passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on the MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST. 9, HOLLYWOOD ROOD. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and Hongkong, 11th February, 1878. A.D. 1720. PHISICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS CARREVLLY TONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO COMMISSIONS AND ORDERS every description of Banking and Exchange 5th December, in Intitude 40 S.; ran down the PERPARED THE Undersigned having been appointed STEAMBOAT COMPANY. business transpoted. Easting in the same parallel with strong winds. Sighted St. Paul's Island on 22nd December, -NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES in strict accordance with the Formula of the DEATTS granted on London, and the chief Agents for the above Corporation, are LIMITED. commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, prepared to grant Insurances as follows :and arrived in the Ombay Passage on 13th Jan. British Pharmacoposia. MARINE DEPARTMENT. America, China and Japan. from thence light Northerly winds and calme, went through Manipa and Dampier Straits, and NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. STEAMSHIP "AMAZONE." THE COAST AND OUT PORTS ATTENDED T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Policies at current rates, payable either here. SHIP AND FAMILY MEDICINE CHESTS COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES The DIVIDEND at the Rate of 3 %, or in London, or at the principal Ports of India Offices of the Corporation. MARITIMES. lost Pigot Point on 2nd February; from thence supplied and refitted. \$2.25 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half-No, 1, Queen's Road East, China, and Australia. TO WITE to port moderate and light N.E. monsoon. yearly Meeting of Shareholders held This Day, FIRE DEPARTMENT. Hongkong, 14th February, 1878. NOTICE. PASSENGER SHIPS SUPPLIED. Policies issued for long or short periods at will be payable at the Hongkong and Shang-The British steamship Normanby reports left Sydney on 31st January at 5 p.m. On 7th ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship CARE AND PROMPTNESS. ONGKONG & SHANGHAT BANKING N.B.—All business communications should be HAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after current rates. "INDUS CORPORATION. addressed VICTORIA DISPENSARY. 185 MONDAY, the 28th instant. February at 3.30 p.m. left Cooktown. On the 9th stopped off Somerset to land 1 European pasfrom London, in connection with the above Hongkong, 11th February, 1878.

experienced fresh N. Easterly winds and thick, hazy weather. On the 18th, passed an American back showing JPTV, in lat. 11.42 N. and long. 121.10 E., bound East. SAIGON SHIPPING. January-

senger and mails. At 4.27 p.m. passed Booby Island. On the 13th at 10 p.m. passed through Manissa Straits. On the 15th at 7 a.m. passed

through Banks Passage. On the 17th at 4 a.m.

31, Jacobine, German bark, from Mantong. 31. Julio, French bark, from Marseilles. I, Chow Phys, British str., from Singapore 1. Pernambneo, British str., from Hongkong. 8, Carisbrooks, British str. from Hongkong 8, Altons, German steamer, from Hongkong, business. 8, Bellons, German steamer, from Penang. Cheang H. Kian, Brit, etr., from S'gapore 10, Sindh, French steamer, from Hongkong. 11, Paknam, British steamer, from Singapore. application. 2, Atsiants, German str., from Hongkong. 14. Java, Datch steamer, from Batavia. 16. Amazone, French steamer, from Marseilles.

29. Amboto, British steamer, from Hongkong

30, Quarta, German steamer, from Hongkong

16, Bianca Pertica, Italian bark, from Touron. January DEPARTURES. 29, Cassendra, German str., for Hongkong. 31, Nedeshda, Danish schooner, for Amoy. 31. Genévieve, French bark, for Batavia. February-

2, Ava, French steamer, for Hongkong. Quarta, Gorman steamer, for Hongkong. 6. Chow Phay, British str., for Singapore. 6. Amboto, British steemer, for Hongkong. 10, Pernambuco, British str., for Hongkong. 10, Killarney, British steamer, for Hongkong, 11. Sindh, French steamer, for Mars illes. 12. Cheang H. Kian, Brit. str., for Hongkong. 12. Carisbrooks, British str., for Hongkong. 2. Bellous, German steamer, for Hongkong, 13, Paknam, British steamer, for Singapore. 14, Parsee, British steamer, for Hongkong. 15, Altons, German steamer, for Hongkong. 15. Atalanta, German steamer, for Hongkong 16, Maharajah, British str., for Hongkong.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

The British Barone Alphinoton.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. The DIVIDEND, declared for the Half Year ending 31st December last, at the rate of ONE Pound Streeting (£1 Sterling) per Share of passed Samboangan. On 18th at 11.15 p.m. \$125, is Payable on and after FRIDAY, the passed Cape Calavito. On the 21st at 15.00 p.m. 15th current, at the Offices of the Corporation,

anchored in Hengkong Reads. On the 22nd at where Shareholders are requested to apply for daylight have up and proceeded to anchorage. Warrants

From Sydney to Cape Calavito experienced mode. By Order of the Court of Directors, rate winds and line weather. Across China Sea. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 14th February, 1878. CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS TRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL: RESERVE FUND Bankers. THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE CITY BANK THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND

The BANK'S BEANCH in Hongrong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial I Parsee, British steamer, from Hongkong. places in Europe and the East; buys and re-7, Maharajah, British steamer, from H'kong, ceives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Local Bills discounted, and interest allowed on Charant Accounts and on Deposits for fixed

periods on terms which may be ascertained on 11, Zauzibar, British steamer, from H'kong. NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCI COMPANY AT HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT IN SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on firstclass risks at current rates. MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.

O L. THEVENIN, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT AND IMPORTER OF

FRENCHGOODS. Depot for Vicey Warees and Special Agent are filed in the respective offices, for inspection of the respective Assured. for PINAUD'S PERFUMES and ANTOINE'S THES. Gentlemen's Best French Boots and Shoes.

44, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

THE TOURIST SQUIDE REDUCED PRICE. 31. Containing the names of all the Articles of Funds have, in common with the Home Fund Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture, a lien on the Guarantee Fund. do., do., with the Panti and Mandarin Pronun-Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR or THE UHINESE LANGUAGE, in two Parts.

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at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 26th July, 1872.

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Hongkong, February 23nd, 1878.

Special Fund agreed to at the meeting of the Liegislative Council on Tuesday in aid of the vessels dressed ship. distress by famine in North China could not be found fault with. The famine is on scale of such magnitude, the distress so widespread, the destitution of the people so complete, and the means of the Chinese Government so utterly inadequate to afford relief to a tithe of the unhappy sufferers, that this Colony and others adjacent must feel bound to contribute their mite for this humane purpose. A memorial in the Peking Gazette of the 8th ultimo states that upwards of eighty districts in Shansi March. are declared to be famine stricken, and that Selection With brief descriptions of Hongkong and the some five or six millions of the population Valse are dependent upon public assistance. The Danza.... means of the wealthier inhabitants of the province have been drained by the calamity The gates of the Public Gardens will not be experienced for the last three years, and for open until two o'clock this afternoon. hundreds of hat a stretch the entire population is dependent on official aid. The missionaries, both Protestant and Catholic, send down corroboration of these statements, Bishop Volonteri, Vicar Apostolic of Honan, asserting that the hunger of the people in that province is so terrible that they devour the corpses of their relations as fast as they perish from want. In Shensi similar borrors arc, it is to be feared, occurring, while the officials are unable to do much towards averting the tremendous mortality which hunger and cold are that was made about the girl, this did not suffice, jointly effecting. It is, indeed, difficult to fully and expensive telegrams, for which the colony of interest init, and at one time it was thought the realise the extent of the misery prevailing in about the effeir, and before the Brisbane had an ever, was very gratifying, and shows what can the remoter districts, whither the scanty sup- chored in China waters the steamer was boarded be done in Hongkong in the horticultural line. plies of food furnished by the native authorities are so slow in finding their way. some parts the inhabitants will no doubt be literally swept from the face of the earth by

The remarks of the Hon. F. B. Johnson on this appalling distress were very à propos, and were most fully warranted. The Imperial Government of Peking must be held respon-It is published in two forms-Complete at sible for the sufferings of its subjects. Not nothing." \$5; or, with the Lists of Residents, Port Directonly Shansi but most of the other northern provinces of China are teeming with mineral wealth, which if properly worked would afford ample means of subsistence to millions now in the very last stage of penury. As Mr. Johnson remarked, too, even if the mines were allowed to be worked, there are no roads by veyed to a port of shipment. Similarly, owing to the wretched means of communication, the meagre supplies of grain doled out to the famishing people cannot reach them until they were well got up, but wanted more spirit in took the first prize with two sorts of pumeloes too late to save hosts of them from a painful and lingering death. Without the aid of the railway, the sufferings caused by the recent famine in India would have been immensely increased. But rapid means of transit enabled the Famine Commissioners to forward the supplies with great speed and the result was that the wants of the sufferers were soon in a measure attended to, though of course there was much distress experienced, and some few deaths from famine took place in spite of the energetic measures adopted to minister to the needs of the hungry multitudes. Without any efficient organisation, without any proper mode of carriage for the millet and rice, and with the delays in obtaining the supplies characteristic of Chinese officials, it is not wonderful that the efforts of Authorities in North China do not keep pace with the famine. Last year there was a dreadful famine in Shantung and Chihli, crime of laceny in a dwelling-house and to one gardener, exhibited (not for competition) thirtyand the lessons then taught to the Chinese officials ought not to have been thrown away. It is to be feared that nothing will induce by the Yesso accident. He said his queue had the mindarins to adopt a more progressive been out and be could not get employment; see | and Mr. Vencher for the vegetables, both genpolicy, and that neither the advice of fo-

reigners nor the teachings of experience will avail to rouse the Manchu Government from its lethargy. It is satisfactory to hear, on Mr. Johnson's authority, that a Committee has been formed in this Colony to raise contributions supplementary to the grant made by the Government. The Bazaar held yesterday no doubt roduced a goodly sum for the same worthy ship and two previous convictions, was brought object, and we trust that the well-to-do up. He said he was born in Hongkong and was portion of the Chinese community will come labour. forward with generous donntions in aid of the Fund. They were not backward last year, and the necessity for assistance is far greater this winter. Subscriptions have already THE LATEST TELEGRAMS. been opened in Shanghai, Amoy, Japan, and other places, and Hongkong should not lag plaintiff, and one for 8700 of which he was the behind in any good or charitable cause. The Chinese in Singapore, the Notherlands Indies.

can be expected this year, as that province has suffered so severely by the inundations of last season, but all who can afford to contracan be done will only suffice to mitigate in small degree the fearful sufferings of the famishing millions.

The British bark Frank Marion, Captain Eldridge, left Newcastle, N.S.W., on the 29th piltime with 679 tons of coal for Hongkong. The Forward and Lady Penrhyn are loading at Sydney, Now South Weles, for Hongkong

at Newcastle (N.S.W.), the Annie Florence and and place. This was a happy arrangement on

the passage in eighty-one days. The British steamer Conquest, Captain Scott, reports having left Haiphong on the 18th inst.,

when the British steamer Thales, Captain Coles, was bound in at the same time. Cricket Ground this afternoon, between the officers of the U.S.S. Tennesses and the member of the Hongkong Cricket Club.

The British steamer Normanby, Captain Ell reports having spoken an American bark showin a signal JPTV on the 18th instant, in lat. 11.42 L and long. 121.10 E., bound East,

The following vossels have left Sydney, New South Wales, for Shanghai, Maid of Judah, Cantain Davidson, 18th ultimo; Christian, Cantain Sloher, 21st ultimo; Kolga and Kerlseth on the

British ship Broomhall, was charged by Captain Sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour at the order of the captain.

rar dressed ship, and at eight bells all the British fleet and the French man-of-war Lo Hugon dressed ship and flew the American flag at the main in honour of George Washington's birth-THE vote of ten thousand dollars from the day, while at noon the English and American hips saluted simultaneously. Most of American and some of the English merchant

Museum for the week ending 20th February:

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The following is the programme to be played

Flower Show this afternoon :-Vagabond" ... Offenbach "Genévievo do Brabant" J. BUCHANAN, Bandmaster.

Cooktown Herald of the 30th ultime) that on the by the Sydney Exeter Hallites, held on board the steamer an inquiry as to a European girl of inquiry showed that the girl was the daughter and the Hon. Attorney-General and Mrs. Philof an European woman, who had married the Chinaman in question, and both him and the girl were on a trip to China. The girl positively in the matter. Notwithstanding all the bother

by the police and another seizure made of her. The peace officers conveyed her to Government There was an excellent show of geraniums, the House, followed by her stepfather and his little | best, indeed, which has ever been exhibited in hoy, where Mrs. Pope Hennessy accosted her, Hongkong, and chrysanthemans and dophnes and earnestly solicited the girl to enter the viceregal service as nurse but she persistently refused to do anything of the kind, clinging in the most and annuals were an ordinarily fair show, but affectionate way to her Celestial stepfather, and possessed no special excellence. In the class for reiterating her intention of adhering to her Chi- six flowering and fine foliage plants Cho Che nese costume and her Chinese relation, and so this Bee, of the East Point Sugar Refinery, took happy family departed in peace-to sojourn inthe partieus of Canton. Thus ends a most stupid affair, which was from the first "much ado about including a very fine begoing: Mr. Taylor took who said that the trousers belonged to him, and

CORRESPONDENCE

Wo do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions

THE AMATEUR PERFORMANCE AT THE GARRISON THEATRE. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILT PRESS." SIR .- I find that in your issue of the 21st inst., you have given due credit to the Royal Artillery Amateur Dramatic Club, for the performance they gave on the 19th, with exception of two of the members. Of these, you seem to say that although small, was very good. Mr. Romand their acting. About Mabel, I will say nothing. out as for Constance, which part was played by A. H. Cunningham, I must explain that he was papaya. Mr. Humphreys also showed some instructed by a gentleman of experience to perform the character in the manner he did. A estisfaction with his representation of character of Constance, and he acted as he was instructed. The Press only seems to have taken

exception to it - Yours. PEA SOUP. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1878.

SUPREME COURT. February 22nd.

CRIMINAL BESSIONS BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SNOWDEN.

and four provious convictions, was sentenced to four years' penal servitude. Wong Ayee, convicted of receiving a \$100 note stolen from Father Vigano, was sentenced to nine months' hard labour. penal servitude. This was one of the men released from gaol for his services to the sufferers

Lee Atack, who had pleaded guilty to larceny

ing the door of a rouse open he was tempted to tlemen being assisted by Mr. Cernau. commit this largeny. Annie Shiffer, a negress, who had pleaded guilty to doing grievous bodily harm to Sheik Babcojee, was sentenced to nine months' hard

Wong Atuck, convicted of stealing a watch from the person, was sentenced to nine months' hard labour. Wong Akwai, convicted of returning from deportation, was sentenced to nine months' hard

-Thomas Lewis, convicted of larceny on board n sailor. He was sentenced to two years' hard

This concluded the business of the sessions. ORIGINAL JURISDICTION:

OHUN AYAU V. NG AKEW, \$2,200. Mr. Francis, instructed by Mr. Brereton, appeared for the plaintiff. This was an action on two promissory notes, one for \$1,500 given to the endorsee and holder. The defendant has absconded. Judgment was given for plaintiff with Saigon, and the Philippines may also be expected. The property sought to be attached was marine Romano. Specimen chrysanthemam. 1. Mr. to death on the march, and thousands were representation. The property sought to be attached was marine. Romano. Specimen chrysanthemam. 1. Mr. to death on the march, and thousands were representation. The property sought to be very rich in vegetation. The property sought to be attached was marine. ed to help their starving countrymen in the lot No. 80, registered in the land office in the A. G. Romano; 2, Mr. J. M. A. do Silva; 3, dered usaless by frost bite, but he debouched on exhibited at the Chamber.

North From the people of Kwangtung little name of the defendant. Mr. Tomlin was called Mow Foug. Three roses, I, Mr. D. Nowrojee : the Sofie plain without the Turks knowing of his Co. are attorneys.

FLOWER SHOW AND FANCY BAZAAR.

The Hongkong Horticultural Boolety hold its

annual show in the Public Gardens yesterday.

afternoon, and a fancy beamar in aid of the North China Famine Fund was held at the same time the part of the promoters of the barnar, as inc The British ship Sarah Nicholson, Captain one who paid the flower show a visit could resist Belkirk, which was out here last year, arrived at the attraction of a walk through the shed in Sydney from Liverpool on the 20th alt, making which the ladies presided over stalls loaded with all kinds of fancy articles. To enumerate all the things exhibited for sale would be impossible, and to single out any as worthy of commendation above the others, where all were good, would be equally difficult. There were paintings, slippers, A match at Base Ball will be played on the cushions, innumerable dolls, and various articles of fancy work on which our lady friends have been busy for the last few weeks. The Chinese had also contributed liberally to the buzuar, send ing in card cases, curios, &c. There was a refreehment stall where too and coffee could be had at fabulous prices, a gigantic umbrella, under which were piles of Everton toffee to be disposed of and last but not least, a peep show, Captain Webb, on the 5th ultimo ; Angla Norman, for which our old friend Mr. Trasb offciated as showman, evoking no less mirth here than he does when he treads the boards of our local stage. The show, he declared, was a At the Marine Court, yesterday, before Captain highly moral, interesting, and instructive one. Mr. J. M. A. da Silva. Midhat Constitution was simply adopted for the showing the manners and customs of Hongkong Six carrots (short or early):-1, Kam Sun; 2, exigencies of the hour. Mehamet Ali and Suleifrom the carliest times to the present moment. Mr. H. J. Holmes: 3, Mr. A. G. Romano; man are or were lately in Constantinople; a new Reary Bate with neglect of duty, and making from the carliest times to the present moment, special; Chee Bee. Six paranips:—1. Chee Bee. War Minister has been nominated who is inimical two dualiflowers:—1. Mr. A. G. Romano; 2. to Suleiman, and as Mehemet: All is in great the second mate of the vessel on the 20th inst. - Hongkong by Mr. Robert Jardine in 1842, and Mr. J. M. A. da Silva; 3, Mr. W. K. Hughes, favour with the Sultan he will probably be in since then, our showman went on to explain. Two cabbages :- I, Chee Bee; 2, Mr. D. Now the ascendant until the next full moon. Muhk. several other places had been discovered, Kellet's rojee; 8, J. M. Guedes; special Mr. Stophons. tar has a strong faction which forms the fanatical Yesterday at daybreak the American men-of- Island by a celebrated Admiral of the same name, Mrs. Linsteed; S. Mr. C. P. Chater. Two let- the command devolving on a rude Kurdish chief and Kowleon last year, when the Brigade Major tuce (cabbage) - 1, Mr. H. J. Holmes; 2, Mr. He has, however, left Erzeroum, taking with him discovered it to be very unbealthy and the whole C. P. Chater; 3, Mr. D. Nowrojee. One dish of a picked body of troops, and has entremeled him. of the unfortunate 28th Regiment was harried persley —1, Mr. T. Jackson; 2, Mr. W. K. self a little distance dif. The city itself is now off; while the police never made any discoveries —1, Mr. E. Sharp; 2, Chee Bee; 3, Mr. A. G. anticipated. I think it likely that Muhktar will the although they had a number of Sikhs. There Romano. Fifty pods of beans (French) -1, be entrusted with the defence of Adrianople, was also a view of the Peak, where the justices Mr. D. Nowrojee; 2, not awarded; 3, Mr. J. H. He is a bad general, his bravery being stimulated. of the peace allowed a public-house called the Cox. Twenty-five potatoes :- 1, Chee Bee; 2, by fanaticism: Return of visitors to the City Hall Library and Austin Arms to be used without a licence; and nips:-1. Mr. J. Fairbairn; 2, Ches Bee; 3, ube continues almost at a standstill, and no doubt many other local views and caricatures, which Fong Akam. Twelve onions or shallots -1, the movements of the Russians have been and all who wish to become acquainted with the place Chee Bee; 2, Mr. A. G. Romano. Any other will be greatly retarded by the want of supplies. in which they live would do well to study this afternoon if they have the opportunity. The bazaar 1, Mr. E. Sharp: 2, Chee Bee; 3, Mr. J. M. A. da in Bulgaria exist at all. The Turkish prisoners was largely patronised during the afternoon, and Silva Fifty radishes (long):—1. Chee Bee; 2, Mr. from Plevna have not all yet crossed the Danube, among the visitors were a good many Chinese. D. Nowrojee; 3, Mr. C. P. Chater. Six kohl rabi: many thousands have died on the road from cold. The following ladies presided at the stalls: 1 __ 1. Mr. H. J. Holmes; 2, Mr. A. G. Romano; and privation, and as the Russians declare that Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Linstead, Mrs. Creagh, Mrs. Coxon: 2-Mrs. Jackson, Miss Daro, Mrs. Pol. Two savoys (large) -1, Mr. A. G. Romano: 2, presume that some anxioty must be felt regarding look. Miss Shervinton: S.-Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Mr. J. D. Humphreye, S. Mr. T. Jackson. Two the victualling of the invading troops, more cape. Fraser-Smith, Mrs. Burdon, and Mrs. Wodehouse; 4.—The Misses Brereton and Hon. Mrs. Plunket: 5,-Mrs. G. Sharp, Miss Nelson, Miss J Holmos Torolve tometeet 1, Mr. H. J. Johnstone, Mrs. and Miss Wilcox; 6,-Mrs. Kerr and Miss McNair, Mrs. Beyer, and Mrs. Clouth; flower stall, Miss Huffam; refreshment stall, Mrs. Barff and Mrs. Vaucher; and toffee stall, Mrs. Coughtrie. The weather was de-Our readers will no doubt remember (says the lightful, and with the amusement furnished by the bazaar the interest created by the flower last trip to Hongkong; the Attorney-General, show the excellent music of the 74th Band, and acting under the pressure brought to bear on him the fountainplaying, a very pleasant afternoon was spent. His Excellency the Governor and Mrs. thirteen years of age being taken away by a Hennessy, Lady Smale, Mrs. Snowden, Hon. J Chinaman from Molbourne. The result of the G. Austin, Hon, C. C. Smith and Mrs. Smith

The flower show was in every respect a success refused to leave her Celestial stepfather, and the and a great improvement on that of last year' Attorney General was powerless to do anything which was an agreeable surprise, as there had been loud complaints by the committee of a lack has had to pay, were despatched to Hongkong society was about to collapse. The result, howwere also much above the average. The camelias the first prize with an excellent lot of plants. a beautiful double geranium. Mr. Romanocarried the first prize for three specimen fine foliage plants, and also for specimen chrysanthemum. For the button, also by a cut in one of the knoss. the first prize for specimen geraniums there was a close centest between Che Boe and Mr. Taylor the judges, however, awarded it to the former. Both lots were certainly excellent. Mr. Chater's China astres were remarkably good, and Che Bee, who took the second prize in this class, also showed a splendid lot of flowers. Mr. Taylor showed a beautiful lot of orchids. The fruit show, pomegranate, plantains, pineaple, oranges, and very fine plantains, but unfortunately had had some of his fruit spoiled and was unable to send his full collection. A special prize for lamons was awarded to Dr. Ayres. In cut flowers Mr. Taylor and Mrs. Forbes showed some very fine, bunches of dissimilar kinds, and Mr. Chater's camelias were very fair. The show of cut roses was the best we remember having seen in Hongkong, and so equal was the contest that the first prize had to be divided: The tabledecorations were very tasteful, both of garden and wild flowers. The show of vegetables was good, and it was satisfactory to find that some of the prizes had been taken by Chinese gardeners not in the employ of Europeans, men, in fact, who send their produce to market. The potatoes, cabbages cauliflowers, celery, and tomatoes, were all excellent, the best root and carrots good, but the lettuces and turnips were on the whole only indifferent, although these which took the prizes Lum Akwai, who had pleaded guilty to the were very fair. Mr. Cernau, head Government previous conviction, was sentenced to four year's two varieties of vegetables, most of them of ex-

lippo were amongst those present.

Mr. Haylar officiated an judge for the flowers The Band of the 74th Highlanders was in attendance during the afternoon, and under the direction of Mr. J. Buchanan, played the follow-

ing selection :-"Comnon"
"Fra Diavolo" Grand Duchess! Valse ! Brice des Naita' " Frenat" Gounod. Bussian Dance "Post des Potinolits" Calop "Storm Bird"

PLANTS IN POTS.-Six Flowering and fin foliage plants, 1, Chae Bee; 2, Mr. C. S. Taylor 3. Mr. Hwang Lam -Three plants in flower-Choe Bee; 2, Mr. A. G. Romano; 3, Mr. Bairbairn, and Zetland Lodge gardener. Specimen plant in flower, 1, Mr. C. S. Taylor; 2, Chee Bee; 3, Mr. J. H. Cox. - Specimen fine foliage plant, 1, Mr. A. G. Romano; 2, Chee Boe; 1 Mrs. Forbes.—Three ferns, 1, Mrs. Forbes; 2 Chee Bee - Specimen fern, I. Mr. C. S. Taylor Mrs. Forbes - Three camellies, 1, Chee Res 2, Mr. J. D. Humphreys. Specimen camellia, 1, Zetland Lodgegardoner, 2, Mr. J. D. Humphreys, 3. Mr. J. H. Cox. - Two of three chrysanthemuma;

China asters, 1. Mr. C. P. Cheter, 2. Chee new reach Adrianople or not I am not capable of Boo.—Specimen aster, 1. Chee Bee, 2. Mr. forming an opinion, but it is useless where it now A. G. Romano -Three hyacinths, I, Mr. C. is Goarko occupies Sofia as his base and has S. Taylor: 2 Chee Boe. Specimen palm, 1, sent for 40,000 Services to gurrison it, on the Mrs. Pothon 2, Dr. Ayres 3, Mr. J. H. Cox. arrival of whom he will proceed towards Adria--Specimen ordnid, 1, Mr. C. S. Taylor; 2, noplo, Chee Bee. Stumps or rockwork with ferns and Then Skobeleff, having organized a force or orcepers, I. Mrs. Forbes. - Specimen daphno, Lovatz, suddenly carried the Trajan Pass without Ches Bee .- Four comellia blooms, 1, Mr. C. The Bussian force, which held the other end, of P. Chater : 2, Mr. H. H. J. Holmes - Four course attacked simultaneously, and consequently chrysanthemum blooms, I, Mr. A. G. Romano; the whole Turkish division was bagged. This rose blooms, I. Mesard, C. S. Taylor and D. to the troops concentrated at Tirnova, the dis-Nowrojee: 2, Mr. C. P. Chater: 3, Mr. A. G. tance to Adrianople being vory small, The army Mr. C. S. Taylor; 2; Mrs. Forbes; 3, Chee Bee. force in the Quadrilateral and Adrianople, as a

Fairbairn and Mrs. Johnson; 2, Mrs. Humphroys; men according to the lowest estimates. Jackson, for three daphnes. Mr. C. P. Chater; 2, Mr. A. G. Romano; 3, Mr. Quadrilatoral to Adrianople, which place no D. Nowrojee. Two heads of celery :-- 1. Mr. doubt is being busily entrenched. But liow can D. Nowrojee; 2, Mr. H. J. Holmes; 3. Mr. it be expected that any commander in chief can W. K. Hughes. Two heads of dwarf ditto - prove effective when he feels that the tenure of 1. Mr. J. M. A. da Silva Six beet roots (long): -1 Mr. D. Nowrojee 2, Mr. H. J. Holmes, fluence, The Chamber of Deputies continues in Six best roots (short or round) :-- 1; Chee Bes; full session and strong attacks are made upon 2. Mr. T. Jackson; 3. Mr. A. G. Bomano. Bix | the Ministry, which are evaded by some absurdly carrots (long) :- 1. Mr. J. D. Humphrays; 2. ridiculous means, making it evident that the Mr. A. G. Romano : 3, Mrs. Limstead. Six tur- Meanwhile the communication agress the Dan-Holmes; 2, Mr. T. Jackson; 3, Mr. C. P. Chater.

Two vegetable marrows:-1, Chee Bee. Two of war. As for the progress of diplomacy, an couve tronchoudas :- 1. Mr. T. Jackson; 2, Mr. active, correspondence between the Cabinets of E. Sharp. Six horse radish :- No award. Best | London and St. Petersburg has been continued collection of sweet and pot herbs -I, Chee Bes; Turkey, as I told you in my last, applied for the 2. Mrs. Humphreys; 3. Mrs. Linstead. SPECIAL PRIZES .- Endive .- Mr. A. G. Ro- for peace, and England accorded to the rectues mano. Red cabbage :- 1, Mr. A. G. Romano; Russia, declining all mediation, said that an 2. Kam Lum; S. A.Pin. Chicory and herbs :--Chee Bee. Manioc :- 1, Mr. J. M. A. da Silva : 2. Mr. A. G. Romano, 3. gardener at Ball's quarters. The communications from our foreign

FRUIT.-For best collection of fruit grown in most friendly terms, to the end that Parlis Hongkong :- 1. Mr. A. G. Romano; 2. Mr. J. D. Humphreys; S. Mr. D. Nowrojee; special, Mr. H. J. Holmes. For lemons, Dr. Ayres.

POLICE COURT. 22nd February. BEFORE CHARLES MAY, ESQ.

LARGENY BY A BUROFBAN. George Taxworth; engineer's steward on the British steamor Parece, was charged with stealing a mir of trowsers.

Honry Sovinta second engineer on the Parses, said that the prisoner was mess room steward. On the 23rd of December last, when the vessel was at sea witness missed a pair of gray cloth trousers from his cabin, to which the prisoner had accoss. Witness had previously seen the trousers about the 20th November. He heard nothing about them until the 5th instant, when is attention was drawn to the prisoner, who had the trousers on. Witness questioned the prisoner, the first prize for a specimen plant in flower with | that he bought them in the Whitechapel-road. Witness knew the trongers to be his property. He bought them in North Shields. He was able to identify them by the maker's name being up His Worship sentenced the prisoner to weeks' imprisonment with hard labour.

> Yeong Aling was charged with gambling. District Witchman No. 16 said that about four o'clock p.m. on the 21st instant, he saw the Germany to get? The Ottoman Empire lies the Agent-General prisoners with some others gambling with dice. The prisoner was shaking them. The prisoner in defence, said that the other mon were playing. He was not playing. Two previous convictions were proved against the prisoner, and his Worship sentenced him to

ROQUE AND VAGABOND.

one month's imprisonment with hard labour, as a rogue and vagabond. HOME AND CHINA AFFAIRS.

PROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, 11th January. The meeting of Parliamont which is to take place next Thursday, the projected armistics between Russia and Turkey, the critical position n which the tide of war has placed the latter. power, and the death of the King of Italy, have been the all engrossing topics of the week, to the exclusion of all other questions. APPAIRS AT THE SEAT OF WAR.

Although the feeling against Russia is by no

means being changed or even slackened in the public mind of this country a conviction is nevertheless spreading that the Turks are so hopelessly acapable of civilised rule and so ill deserving of the smallest degree of confidence that an alliance with them would entail nothing less than an encouragement to continue in that course of fatalism which we can neither combat nor restrain. In this supreme hour, when the existence of the Empire is in the direct peril, and when but three Generals are available for the command of it armies (namely Muhktar, Suleiman, and Mehemet Ali) palace intrigues and seraglio corruption continue as rife as ever, and operate on these three Ottoman arms. First, an aged, obese, and incapable man (Abdul Kerim) was placed in his friends at court sustained him until he had which children are born and die in which the allored the Danube to be crossed, the Schicka Pass to be carried, and half Bulgaria to be occupied; then he was recalled and banished. Mehemet Ali succeeded him. This General is a German by birth and is by far the most socomplished soldier in the Ottoman service; moreover, he is a personal favourite of the Sultan, but having few friends at court, the weak Monarch lacks the energy to sustain him. Had be remained in the supreme command there would have been a different tale to tall, but the faction which aunports Suleiman proved too strong for him, and he was recalled and superseded by Suleiman. He was then sent to organize an army at Sofie for the relief of Pleyna, and whilst he was effecting wonders in an almost hopeless task he was recalled bacause no could not accomplish it. Suleman, meanwhile, had shown himself most energetic and and canable, whereupon his faction became correspondingly, elated and their enemies encompassed Suleiman's recall. Consequently if there be any commander in the Quadrilateral or in Western Bulgaria his address is unknown to the of Commerce. Port Elizabeth, a couple of samples ficent harbour, pronounced to be as fine as any to

What has happened is this. Gourko, to the miles south of the Zambesi, and 200 miles from in any part of the harbour, affording splendid extreme left, relying on Turkish mismanage the East Coast. It is stated that rice of the anchorage in all weathers. On each side of the ment, crossed the Balkans under the most trying same description may be purchased from the river there appeared immense tracts of fine pas-

to prove the registry, from which it appeared 2. Chee Boe 3, Mr. C. P. Chater.—Specimen approach. It is certain had his vanguard been the property was incumbered with a mort rose I. Ches Bee; 2 Mr. A. G. Romano,—Six attacked at the last defile that he would have lost gage for \$1,600 and several write of foreign pots annuals I Chee Bee; 2, Mr. C S. Taylor his whole army, Sofia had been evacuated, but attachment, of which this was the first. The -Specimen annual, 1, Chee Bee; 2, Mr. J. H. the Turkish troops mustered in large force at Captain Ellis with the Australian mail, arbute should not fail to do so, for it is certain but to contributions will not nearly serve to meet the case, and the very utmost that the done will only suffice to mitigate in a grant of the contributions will only suffice to mitigate in a grant of the contributions will only suffice to mitigate in a grant of the case, and the very utmost that the contributions will only suffice to mitigate in a grant of the case, and the very utmost that the contributions will only suffice to mitigate in a grant of the case, and the very utmost that the case, and the very utmost that the case, and the very utmost that the case of the cas Taylor 3. Mr. C. P. Chater. Two or three force would have been out off. Whether it can

> 1, Chee Bee; 2, C. P. Chater; 8, Mr. D. any apparent difficulty. Crossing into Roumelis Newrojee.—Best selection of lilies, 1, Mr. C. he attacked the Turkish division which has so Taylor.—Naroissus, I, Mr. A. G. Romano; 2, long held the southern and of the Schipky Pass. Chee Bee; 3. Mr. J. M. Guedes .- Four leaves the Pass open to the Plevna army, as also Romano. Six bunches out flowers, dissimilar, 1, of the Czarpwitch; meanwhile, masks the Turkish Hand bouquet, 1, Mrs. Humphreys; 2, Mrs. matter of course, lies open to the Grand Duko Holmes.—Table decorations, 1, Mrs. Hayllar; 2, Nicholas with the army of Plevin, that under Mrs. Humphreys; S, the Owner of a snake vase. Redetusky, that under Skobelest, and that under Table decorations of wild flowers, 1, Mr. J. Gourko, the whole numbering at least 200,000

It seems impossible that the Turks can raise Special Prizes - Mrs. Johnson, for croous. any serious obstruction on the way to Adrie Mr. C. S. Taylor, for ornamental grass. - Mrs. | nople and what stand they can make there I counct hazard a conjecture All the force VEGETABLES .- Sir kinds of vegetables :- 1, that can be spared has been sent from the his office depends upon the corrupt Palace in-

3. Mr. D. Nowrojee; special, Mr. C. P. Chater. the rations and the quarters were fairly shared Fifty pods kidney beans .- No prize awarded. between the esptives and their guard I should savoys (small):-1, Mr. J. D. Humphreys; 2, cially as there seems little prospect of an early Mr. D. Nowrojee; 3, Mr. Fairbairn. Fifty re-establishment of communications across the Brussels sprouts:—1, Mrs. Forbes; 2, Mr. H. Danube. So much for the position of affairs at the seat

> good offices of England to intercede with Russia armistice must precede negotiations and that such an armistice must be made at Russian headoffice have been purposely conched in the ment may see when it meets that we have done everything possible to keep the peace. This consideration cooled Russian arrogance and it has been agreed that the armistice shall be purely of a military and temporary nature and devoid all permanent political character. Lord Derby advised the Sultan to arrange for such an armis tice, and the Sultan lost not one moment is sending Mehemet Ali to arrange it, having first however, agreed with the Council of State as t its terms. I should think that these terms must have been communicated to, and approved of by Lord Derby, for surely Mehemet Ali would not have a carte blanche. A ramour is very current that the armistice has actually been concluded and that it simply implies a suspension of hostilities for six weeks or two months, but it is generally thought that Russia will require the surrender of Rustchuk. However, it may be that in the present state of the Dannbe an armistice may be a necessity to the Russians.

No doubt peace prospects are brighter than they were by reason of the conviction that the Turk has no health in him, and that he can no more be regenerated than can the skin of an Ethiopian be brought to change its colour England will no doubt make further concessions than she would do but for this consideration Lord Dorby has assured the French Ambassador that under no circumstances will our relations with Egypt be altered, a proof that he rejects all the charms of the Kaiser Band. That is the fact which stands as a lion in the path. It is easy to understand how Russia and Austria can be compensated out of the dead man's inheritance, and even how Italy may obtain something acceptable after the funeral, but what is telegram on the subject has been received from entirely out of her way, and she must be rewarded by other means. It cannot be lost sight of that Germany cannot hold her position under the existing state of affairs. She which £1,800 is insured in the Victoria Comis absolutely ruining herself to maintain her supremacy over France, whilst that country. is daily becoming richer and more capable of bearing increased burdens. It may be relied that Prince Bismarck will not sit down under this state of things if he can help it. What Jermany wants is the development of her maritime spirit, which is now imprisoned by the want of ontlets—that is to say of ports or sea of mines also has fallen off. The total number coast. I don't suppose she would take Belgium, at the end of last year was 36,096. as that would draw both France and England on her, but I do think she wants Holland and that she will get it too. France's month could e stopped with Alsace and Lorraine, and England would not fight Edrope to please the Dutch

ATROCITIES ON THE QUIET

Some timeage we had occasion to notice in these revolters from the mountains of the Caucasus to the marshes of North Russia, and made then the emark that in all likelihood the majority would erish from the change of climate. Unfortuntely our prediction has proved true. At Belozersk, n the government of Onega, a province whose in their innings, made the large score of 213. malarious marabes have repelled both Slav and The eleven did not go to the wickets. They Finn, the wretched victims c. Russian ambition have proceeded to Napier to-day. are dying like poisoned flies. Deposited in halfrained villages, the inhabitants of which years ago migrated to a happier clime, the mountaineers: experience terrible sufferings from the cold. They live in pigaties," writes a correspondent lifty of the Government party have been killed, if the St. Peterburg Gazelle, "pigsties without and the rebels are retiring. It is probable tho the alightest provision against the weather, in latter will surrender. dead and the dying are mingled together amidst coming very insolent to Europeans, and the Misfilth and dirt indescribable. Out of 50 Circussians settled in the village of Tcherepovitz, 30 send a man-of-war for their protection.

are dead. At Kiriloff the monks of a neighbouring monastery have been very kind to the poor exiles, out there the mortality is no botter. Of all the revolters who have been assigned to the Brown, of Somerset, in business, as general marshes of Onega, 66 alone, near Belozersk, may be said to be properly provided for. Even these, housed though they are in empty barracks, will succumb like the rest to consumption and fever owing to the deadly mists that gather round the lakes. The faithe correspondent makes the remark that the exiles consist only of old men, women, and children-men botween 16 and 60 are. not to be found among them, having either been killed while fighting for their homes or olse oxecuted by the merciless military tribunals which accompany every Russian invading column -

of rice from the Mashons country, about 100 be found in Australia. There is very deep water

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL

The E. and A. M. steamer Normanby,

QUEENSLAND.

BRIBBANE, January 9th. A proclamation has been issued by the Goernor, prohibiting the expertation to the South See Islands of arms, atmountation, military or nava stores. The brobibition has evidently been made in answer to a request made by Bishop Selwyn a short time back.

The Queensland National Bank has declared a lividend of 8 per cent per annum and a bonus of one shilling por share. Bir Arthur Kennedy intends to reside at Toovoomba for two months

Sir W. W. Cairns has been appointed honoary special commissioner for Queensland at the Paris Exhibition.

During the year 1877 the immigrants that irrived in Brisbane numbered 6,500, and as next year there will be a large increase in public works and railways throughout the Colony, the Agent General has been instructed to despatch

a larger number during the current year. ROOKHAMPTON, January 20th. The A. S. N. Co.'s steamship Queensland, in passing down the Fitzrey River on Friday night, ran on a sandbank, in the boat shannel near Central Island, and broke her back. CARDWELL, February 1st. The Merchant, ship, from Mossman River, lader with cedar, touched on a reef off Brooke

Island, and has fourteen feet of water in her COOKTOWN, February Gill. The Chinese have disappeared in large numbers of late, so we are informed (says the Hodgkinson Mining News) by a storekeeper who recently arrived here from the Palmer. Where they have cone to is a mustery. It was expected that hunireds would be found on the Hodgkinson, but their numbers are few ... From the Palmer, however, they have cleared out, as is shown only too plainly to be the case by the storekcopors, by the

lecreuse in the gold returns, and communition of During the week (says the Townsville Herald) two lots of specimens, showing the strata of the been received from Mr. Penmen, who is prospecting for the black diamonds. One lot shows the quality of the strata to a depth of twenty feet, and the other represents about thirty feet, and the other represents about thirty feet lower, a prospecting shaft having been put down lower

Signor D'Albertis the well-known naturalist nd New Guinea explorer, has lately undergone a serious prosecution by a Chinaman and a Kanaka, who were in the service of the Signor on his expedition. They abscended and reported to Mr. Chester that D'Albertis had shot some of his Chinese servants and treated others most cruelly. An inquiry was, of course, held, and Mr. D'Albertis, had he not been in a position to refute the gravity of the charges, by the evidence of his European engineer, might have found himself in a very awkward position; but we are happy to say, that, instead of D'Albertis being the accused, the tables were turned; and the colored rescals, who had been the recipients of many kindnesses at the Signor's hands, have been sentenced to three months imprisonment in Rock. hampton Gaol for absconding.

NEW SOUTH WALES. SYDNEY, January 16th. The Rev. Mr. Lawes says that the Bertha's report about gold in New Guinea is oxaggorated, as the orew were two hundred miles distance at

The New Guinea alluvial gold (quartz) has been served and seven ounces and thron-quarters yielded five and three quarters graink fine gold. January 21st. The Paris Exhibition Commissioners have purchased gold specimens to the amount of

The A. S. N. Company has declared a dividend of eight per cent. The half-year's profits wore fourteen thousand pounds. The Platypus, steamer, was totally wrecked when entering the Richmond River. News has been received of great damage by a

hurricane at Honolulu. January 25th. The returns obtained in Sydney from the late trials of the alluvial gold specimens brought from New Guinea, have determined a number of digges to make up a party of one hundred to proceed to New Guines. Each mun is to put down £20. It is expected that the merchants also will contribute to the expenses of the expedition, and the Government are to be asked to use their influence with the Commodore of the Squadron to allow a war vessel to cruise about the coast of New Guinea to protect the expedition when it arrives

The Chinese from Hongkoug by the Ocean are finding their way into Queensland overland, and thus evade the poll tax of £10. A railway collision took place at the foot of he Blue Mountains, and three men were killed and two seriously injured. The two locomotives were completely destroyed.

MELBOURNE, January 17th. upon by Mesars. Anderson and Green is not subsidised by the Victorian Government, and no A fire at Koroit this morning destroyed three shops, including the premises of the Koroit Ex-

The damage is estimated at £2,000, of As the barque Oscar was being towed down the river to-day, she heeled over on to her side and now blocks the river, leaving about ten feet space from the south bank.

The gold yield last year shows a falling off from that of the previous year of 144,421 oz. The total yield last year was 521:976 oz. The number

NEW ZEALAND. WELLINGTON, January 9th. A flywheel, seventeen feet in dismeter and weighing six tons, part of the machinery at the patent slip here, burst into hundreds of pieces

while rapidly revolving. It tore through the roof and sides of the building, which is complotely wrecked. Pieces of metal weighing halfa ton were thrown fully a hundred yards from olumns the transportation of several thousand the scone of the accident. The engineer had a miraculous escape: The single innings match between the Australian eleven and the local twenty-two could not be finished for want of time. The twenty-two,

LEVUKA, January 14th.

The natives of Samos are still fighting, and The natives of the Friendly Islands are be sionaries have asked Sir Arthur Kennedy to

Captain Pennefather, well known in Northern storekeepers and merchants, at Thursday Island, kindly favoured us (Cookfown Herald) when here, en route to Sydney in the Brisbane, with a few particulars regarding the Government expedition from Thrisday Island to Papua, which we have much pleasure in laying before our renders. The expedition, which had been ordered by the Hon. J. Douglas, when in Torres Straits, was made in the Government outter, and comprised Messrs. H. M. Chester, F. L. Jardine, J. Somors, and Captain Pennshither, They

proceeded to about 100 miles north of Thurs. day Island and entered the Mia Cusser (pative name) river, and ascended it for 90 miles into the There are now on exhibition at the Chamber interior. The entrance to the river is a magniVESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

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Escauriaga, Master, will have immediate For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1878.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

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HE Spanish Barque

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY HE Al French Bark * "FANNY Gonyon, Master, will load here for the above Ports and have early despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkoug, 19th February, 1878. FOR LONDON. THE Al American Ship ALICE M. MINOTT."

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CELY OF HALIFAX." Evans, Muster, will loud for the above Port, and vill linva anick despatch For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, 31st January, 1878. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Al American Bark "B. F. WATSON." Hawkins, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have immediate despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, 30th January, 1878. FOR NEW YORK HE Al German Back

" NTAGARA." Wishhusen, Master, will load for the above Port. and will have immediate despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong 30th January, 1878. FOR PORTLAND (OREGON). HE Al British Bark "LADY BOWEN."

Fox. Master will lead for the above Port, an will have onick despatel For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, 30th January, 1878.

FOR HAMBURG. HE Al British Barque 'ANTIPODES," Captain Wyoth, will load here as above. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong, 28th January, 1878.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-TERRANEAN PORTS SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON'S

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ANI AUSTRALIA. THE PENINSULAR AND OBJENTAL STEAD NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship 'INDUS." Captain S. D. SHALLARD, will-leave this on THURSDAY, the 28th February, at

Noon. Ten and General Cargo for Bondon will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the direct route. Silk and Valuables will be transferred to the Calcutta steamer at Galle. -For further Particulars, apply to

ADAM LIND, Superintendent, Hongkong, 15th February, 1878. OCCIDENTAL AND OBJENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PAS-SENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE. IN CONNECTION WITH THE

CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS. THE Steamship "BELGIC" will be des-

on or about FRIDAY, the 1st March, at 3 P.M. United State and Europe. Consider a made at Yokohama with Steamers toon, Shanchai.

Freight will be received on board until 4.P.M. on the 28th February. PARCEL PACKAGES will letters sent outside the mails. These will always be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day, be charged on arrival in Hongkong, and proin full; value of same is required. A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PASSAGE TICKETS.

will be despatched from Singaponi for the Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, &c.; had been sent loose. G. B. EMORY.

No. 37, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, 1st February, 1878.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR

Baigon, Singapore, Batavia, Poin DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ. ISMALIA. PORT SAID. NAPLES. AND MARSEILLES:

PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY. N THURSDAY, the 7th March, 1878, at Noon, the Company's Steamship Post Office. "AVA." Commandant HERNANDEZ, with

MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and will deave this Port for the above CARGO. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in from passing through the Post Office, but no. transit through Marseilles for the principal

places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until & P.M., par week during which the practice continued. Specie and Parcels until S. P.M. on the 6th March, 1878. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Correspondence having joined the General Office.) Contents and value of Packages are Postal Union or being probably about to do so, For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. H. DU POUEY,

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1878, MENTE & REGICA

CHRISTOPHER JOHNSON AND CO. WESTERN WORKS. SHEFFIELD Manufacturers of the highest class

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POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Saigon. To-day, the 23rd instant, at For Shanglai - Per Amazone, to-day, the

23rd instant, at 11 A.m. Late letters received from 11.10 to 11.30 A.M., with 18 cents late fee. For Port Darwin, Cooktown, Sydney, and Melbourne (also New Zealand, Adelaide, and Tasmania). Per Bertha, to-day, the 23rd inst., at 2 P.M. 12 cents rate. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.-Per Namoa, to day, the 23rd instant, at 5 P.M. For Bangkok.—Per Rajanattiannhar, on Monday, the 25th instant, at 0.30 P.M. For Straits Settlements.-On Monday, the 25th instant, at 1.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET. The English Contract Packet "INDUS" will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the 28th instant. The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c. :--

WEDNESDAY, 27th instant, 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. 6 P.M., Post Office closes except the NIGHT Box, which remains open all night THURSDAY, 28th instant,

A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all corre-10 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late Letters. Registry of Lotters ceases.

10.15 A.M. Letters may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra Postage, until. 1 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES entirely. 11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage, until 11.50 A.M., when the Mail is finally closed.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "AVA" will be despatched from Hongkong on THURS-DAY, the 7th March, with Mails to and 237 through the United Kingdom and Europe, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Singapore, Batavia, Galle, Pondicherry, Madras, Calcutta, Bombay, Aden, Suez, and Alexandria. The following will be the hours of CLOSING.

the Mails, &c. -WEDNESDAY, 6th March. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes except the NIGHT Box, which romains

open all night THOBSDAY, 7th March A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all corre-

10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. 11 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late Let-11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) may be posted on payment of a Late. Fee of 18 cents extra postage, until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES en-

REGISTRATION TO BANGKOK. Her Britannic Majesty's Consul for Siam has been good enough to make arrangements by means of which correspondence can be Regis-[226] tered to Bangkok, at the usual charge of 8

> SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS .. Privates in H.M. Army or Navy, Non-commissioned Officers (but not Warrant Officers, viz., Assistant Engineer, Gunner, Boatswain. or Carpenter), Army Schoolmesters (not Superintending or First Class) or Schoolmistresses may send half-ounce letters to the United Kingdom via Southampton by British Packet for one penny; or via Brindisi by British Packet for three-pence. Hongkong stamps will prepay this class of correspondence exactly the same as Imperial Stamps. Soldiers' and Sailors' letters are, however,

> harged as ordinary letters if they do not conform to the following regulations:—...
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> Not to exceed half an ounce. No double 2.—If from a Soldier or Sailor, his class or description must be stated in full on the letter.

and the Commanding Officer must sign his name, with name of Regiment, or Ship, &c., in 3.—If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class or description must be stated in full, with name of

Regiment, or Ship, &c., in full. MAILS EXCHANGED WITH MANILA AND BAIGON. The Philippine Islands being now admitted into the General Postal Union, it follows that all paid correspondence received from Manila. in the mails will be delivered free by this Office, and that all paid correspondence sent to Manila

in the mails should be delivered free there. Article IX, of the Postal Treaty of Berne provides that " Neither the senders nor the addressess of letters and other postal packets shall he called upon to pay, either in the Country of Origin, or in that of Destination, any tax or patched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, duty other than " the recognised rates levied (in the case of paid correspondence) by the despatchtaking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the ing office. It is hoped that any extra charge, or apparently extra charge, will at once be brought to the notice of the proper authorities, in either Colony. The above does not apply in any way to loose

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address | bably the Manila Office will adopt the same Complaints are sometimes received of extra charges one correspondence exchanged between

this Colony and Saigon, but it is believed it For further information as to Freight or would be found in all cases that the letters, The attention of owners, agents, and charterers of steamers is drawn to the provisions of The

Post Office Ordinance, 1876, which comes into force on the 23rd instant. Under the old Ordinance no notice was required of the departure of a vessel if not advertised, nor of departures for Canton or Macao. Notice is now required of any departure, though with regard to sailing ships, the old rule will practically remain in force, that notice need not

Section XXV. requires that the first notice be sent to the Post Office. In the case of steamers plying regularly or on fixed days, notice of any change in the day or hour will be sufficient. Stamped correspondence may still be sent on board any vessel after the Mail is closed at the The Postmaster-General takes this opportunity

be sent unless saked for.

of calling the attention of firms to the fact that any such words as Despatches will close at 11 A.M., added to the advertisement of a vessel are illegal. Consignees' letters are exempted by law person is allowed to make collection of such letters for transmission under a penalty of £100 Most countries to which Hongkong ferwards it is necessary that the following rules be

strictly observed. 1.—No Letter or Packet, whether to be registered or unregistered, can be received for Postage If it contains gold or siver money, jewels, precious articles, or anything that, as a general rule, is liable to Customs duties. 2.—This Regulation prohibits the sending of Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the sample of no value.

3.—The limits of weight allowed are as fo BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To British Offices, 51b. PATTERNS. -51b., if without intrinsic value. BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To the Continent, &c.,. PATTERNS. 8 oz.

1. The following articles cannot be sent by Post at all :- Glass, Liquids, Gunpowder, Matches, Candles, Soap, Indigo. Dye stuffs, or whatever is dangerous to the Mails or offensive or injurious to persons dealing with them. PARCELS.

The public is reminded that, in China and Japan, there is no much thing as Parcel Post. Much trouble and disappointment is caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable triffes. through the Post. Fans, Curios, Articles of Dress, Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders having often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made on such parcels of the value of Stamps

PATTERNS. Some difficulty is experienced in obtaining a is a bona fide sample of goods which the sender quantity compatible with showing what the goods are, and must have no intrinsicivalue.

LONDON:

[20 "DAILY PEESS" OFFICE, WYNDHAM ST.

EXTRACTS. THAT WALTZ. How droany existence is getting What a desert my bachelor room Except when I dream of that eyoning. When all sooms a fragrance and bloom, Then favor detects the sweet runtle And tremer of silk and of lace; And so strongly the feeling comes on me That I oven imagine her face.

Such a face! Can I over describe it! . Aht no; 'tie'a painter's despair. Enough that it laid on my shoulder, That I felt the sweet thrill of hor hair. drink in the deliento portune She breathed as I bore her along In the whirl and return of the measure, Through the web and whirl of the throng.

Such a form! Oh! the sweet satisfaction Of clasping it once; to allore 'Its nicy and soft undulations, As we glided and swayed o'er the fluor. But better than all, to be certain Her heart was as good as her face-That her mind, E could see, fully equalled Her form in its overy grace.

and her voice ! ah, there's the distraction So tendor, so mellow and clear: Since I heard it the sweetest of music-Jars the momory it left in my ear. They tell me 'tis hallucination, Born of flowers, and music, and light, And the madness and intexiention That hie in the walts and the night.

The madness is, not to behold her; To live in this pleasure and pain To watch for, and wonder if ever . I shall meet my fair waltzer again My-lady, do you also cherish A hope your old partner to see? I had almost called you my darling ; Well-so you are growing; to me ..

THE ORIGIN OF "LYNCH LAW." Lynchburg-"Old Lynchburg," the inhabitants love to call it veneration for what is as elsewhere—lies among the mountains on from the bar of the Blue Ridge (Virginia). as Colonel Lynch thought after such a summary fashion that in time speedy "justice" of a somewhat equivocal type became known Countries of the World," by Dr. Robert Brown.

HEREDITY AND CRIME. In his remarks upon crime as a horeditary disposition, at the recent meeting of the British Association, Mr. Galton adduced the instance of the American Jubes family. A parallel case may be found in our own annals of crime in the careers of Snowden Dunbill; members of his family. This notorious highwayman, with his gang of thieves, was the beginning of this century. In 1813 he was York spring assizes, and sentenced to seven years' transportation. At the expiration of In 1827 his son George, aged 24, was exesister Rosa was condemned to two years' imprisonment in York Castle. This latter 1827, and both her husbands, William M'Dowell, of Pontefract, and George Conto New South Wales from Hull in 1828, and William Duihill, another son of Snowden's, was transported for fourteen years about 1814, dying soon after his arrival in Australia; and, to complete the list, a son of Mrs: Dunhill's to a former husband, named Tavlass, in Notes and Queries.

DE QUINCEY AND THE BAILIFFS. gentlemen went out with the party to settle the matter and release the prisoner. As the matter and release the prisoner. As the man of genius shuffled along the deserted pavement by his deliverer's side, he wound up the adventure by a characteristic vituperation. "Unidea'd wretches!" he said, as he parted with his grim companions: "I who can talk freely and earnestly on a parted with his grim companions: "I who can talk freely and earnestly on a sole Wholesale Agents for Binghor. Sole Wholesale Agents for Binghor. Bank to diversity the motion out the listener's becoming interested, if not brutal profession!" The Opium-eater in the for its exponent. Nor need the listener's Sole Wholesale Agents for Policiana.

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MAD AFTER THE "INNER MAN. One of the staff of a daily contemporary recently paid a visit to Bethlehom Hospital. He gives an amusing (though in one sense t must be considered sad) description of a The Chargest House in Hongroud for every querulous, irritable old gentleman whom he saw there. The patient kept on multering something to himself, and occasionally screamed it out at the top of his voice. He nevor rested in his rapid walk backwards and forwards along the passage, and as the visitor got nearer he distinctly heard, "What a shame it is! I want my ten and the nice A House of any Dimensions Completely Furout bread-and-butter. It's time for them to lay the tea and the nice cut bread-and-butter, so why don't they do it ?" At intervals of three minutes came this perpetual refrainof the ten and the nice out broad and butter. "How are you to-day, Mr. ---?" asked the doctor, in his familiar, cheery voice. "Oh very well; but I want my tea and the nice bread-and-butter." The old gentleman was tried on various subjects; but he got posi- to Mr. Far Jack, at 30, Hing Lung Street; tively angry, and again he complained with will receive immediate attention. passionate energy about the absence of his tea. "I suppose the poor old fellow is hungry," the visitor remarked in his innocence. "Not a bit of it," replid the doctor; "he has been at that cry ever since dinner, and the instant he has swallowed his tea he will pace up and down agrin, saying, 'I want farmation forwarded free.

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Forston Street, Horton, London, England. 1811870 I'll go to bed. If he wakes up in the night, he wants his breakfast, and the instant after breakfast lie asks for his dinner. And so he lias gone on for the last twenty years. It is a very curious case." The plan was suggested of giving the patient all his meals rolled into one, in order to puzzle his calculations, and a leading question was put to him consistent with this theory; but all the answer that was got-and that delivered with earnestness, and energy-was, "Don't bother mo! HEADACHE, GOUT, and INDIGESTION, and the I won't be talked to; but I want my tea and best mild aperient for delicate constitutions, the nice cut bread-and-butter." So the visitor left the poor old gentleman pacing along with his hands behind hind, the ward echoing with the refrain of "Tea and nice cut bread-and-butter."

THE VICE OF TALKING SHOP.

and small Ports of China

Norton To THE TRADE. For the future Dr. Spark

ancient being a distinguishing feature of the | It is very wrong to talk shop. That is one more cultivated classes in the United States of society's most venerated precepts, even if VELVET, BEAVER, and FELT HAT MANUPACTURER -not wholly unlike most venerated precepts the southern bank of Janies River, in the in higher codes of morality-it is one of the centre of the Piedmont District, and not far least obeyed. Not to know it is not to know the rudimentary" my duty towards my neigh-It was once one of the wealthiest towns of bour" of social religion. And to enforce it—as America. Fortunes have been amassed here occasion may require, of course—must be the PERFUMERY. in tobacco, and as it is now becoming a rail- duty of every self-respecting diner-out. For . Ess. Ylng Ylang-Frangipanne-and ar way centre, it is likely that in time it will if you fall among shop-talkers whose shop is rise from being a "little city" of 12,000 not yours you may get thrown into the backpeople to become once more a great wealth- ground. The predicament is serious; it is not producing hive of industry. In that world only that many may be prevented from taking which lives among dictionaries it is famous part in the conversation with your accustomed as having given a new word to the English excellence, but that you may have to hold language. Colonel Lynch, the Irish emigrant, your tongue altogether; and, in spite of the whose name has been applied to the town, many compliments paid to silence by the was a noted soldier in the Revolutionary many sages who have wished to do all War. This hot-headed Hibernian, when he the talking themselves, people are apt to caught a "Tory," punished the individual assume that when a man says nothing whose chief crime was that he did not think in company it is because he can find nothing to say. And at any rate no one likes to play the part of the mummy at an Egyptina banquet, to be the blank guest all the world over as "lynch law."-" The whose silence conveys a protest against the whole proceedings, and concerning whom the other guests must needs feel that the best they can' do with him is to let him alone. He who finds himself in such a pass will no Ask for LEA and PERRINS SAVOE, and See Name of more doubt that it is a vice to talk shop than he would doubt that it is a vice not to pay oester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; an one's debts if somebody else persevered in by Grocors and Oilmon throughout the World. [52:18 owing him an inconveniently large sum of

TOYCE'S SPORTING AMMUNITION And yet there is something to be said on of Spaldington Lane, near Howden, and the behalf of shop. The rule of society no doubt ing Ammunition of the best quality, now in gener is that we should talk of what we do not sae throughout England, India, and the Colonies. know rather than of what we do know; still PERCONSION CAPS. Chemically prepared Cloth at terror of the East Riding of Yorkshire at the there are many men, and perhaps some Felt GUN WADDING. women, who are absolutely unable to oboy found guilty of robbing a granary, at the the rule-except negatively, by not talking Central-Fire Breech-Loading Guns . _ of anything. Women who mix at all with tances; and every description of Sporting Ammun the world readily acquire the knack of talkthis ferm, returning to England, and taking ing: companionably of what they know Sold by all Gamakers and Dealers in Gampowda up his quarters in De-la-Pole Court, Manor. nothing about—a great many women instreet, Hull, he recommenced his old habits, deed seem less to acquire it than to have resulting in transportation for life in 1825, it as a birthright; obedience to the rule sits 13il. 67, Upper Thames Street, London. upon them as easily and as fitly as the furcuted at Hobart Town, having been sentenced belows and gauzes in which a man would CELEDRATED OILMEN'S STORES some years previously to transportation at find himself like a fly in a cobweb. Therefore Nine Prize Medals, Paris, Vienna, and the Beverley sessions. At the same time his women, even women with specialities, rarely mother received a similar sentence, and his talk shop. In fact, partly under the dread of those fatal adjectives "blue," "gushing," "strong-minded," and partly from a sort of was also convicted for larceny at Leeds in mental prudery—one which has its good side but also its had -- which objects, as it were, to the real woman being too accurately scannor, of Leeds, were transported. Another ned, they more usually shrink from any disdaughter, Sarah, was also imprisoned at cussion of subjects in which they feel a close York and at Beverley, and was transported interest. But there is a large tale of men who never arrive at being able to talk on a similar fate met each of hor three husbands, subjects about which they have neither information nor concern; and the question is whether in their case it is not worth while to relax the stringency of the rule.

Suppose a man's shop has so engrossed him that it really is the only thing he knows or lor, was also transported, -Reginald W. Cor. | cares about. He is not uneducated, perhaps not even narrow-minded, but his intellect is not of the much-embracing order, and his profession or his purpose has so absorbed his intellectual sympathies that, just as if he One winter evening a family in Edinburgh, were some great artist, all he sees and learns, in which De Quincey was a frequent visitor, gets somehow devetailed into the one theme was disturbed very late by a ring at the door, of his life. Whenever circumstances have One of the ladies of the house had joined led to a man's occupying his time and his her brothers in the library before going to thoughts-in one especial manner with any rest; and the little party listened with won. sort of zeal, he will unconsciously acquire der to the untimely summons, and waited, such a readiness in detecting everything that half alarmed, while an indignant servant- has the remotest affinity to his paramount made his way into his coat and to the door. A topic that it can never be quite out of his minute after Mr. De Quincey was announced, and came in with his usual graceful suavity and readiness to converse. After a little delightful talk, however, the lady was warned by a glance from her brother that so place him, out of risk. Indeed, the cleverer discharate remedies for human affections, it is a matter of certainty that in all Kenton cases where the animal vitality is failing, Phosphorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at phorus is decidedly superior to every other remedies for human affections, it is a matter of certainty that in all Kenton to case where the animal vitality is failing. Phosphorus is decidedly superior to every other remedies for human affections, it is a matter of certainty that in all kenton to case where the animal vitality is failing. Phosphorus is decidedly superior to every other remedies for human affections, it is a matter of certainty that in all kenton to case where the animal vitality is failing. Phosphorus is decidedly superior to every other remedies for human affections, it is a matter of certainty that in all kenton to case where the animal vitality is failing. Phosphorus is decidedly superior to every other remedies for human affections, it is a matter of certainty that in all kenton affections, it is a matter of certainty that in all kenton affections. late a visit must mean business, and withdrew. he is, the more likely he is to become, slightest reaction or depression. When she stepped into the hall she found to this extent, the slave of his shop. This Caurion .- Phosphonus is sometimes sold in the herself, to her great surprise, confronted by two men who had been standing close to the door. She asked if they wanted anyone, in husy practical man of common life. Say fore necessary that the public should be cautioused Nicolaus some alarm, and was told that they were that he is of more than average intellect, that against the use of any form of Phosphorus not per-"waiting for Mr. Quincoy." Half frightened, he has talent and, still better, a wise and but always hospitable, she immediately come honest love for his science, his art, or whatsidered how to set Mr. De Quincey's friends, ever may be the name of his work, he will be though not prepossessing, at the their ease, at a disadvantage as compared with the and opened the door of the next room, where man who, failing either in the ability or in The men looked at each other and grinned been enabled to learn a little plausible ignor.

REMEDY for NERVOUS and LIVER COMPLAINTS. aside; but they would not accept the kind ance on a good many topics of general interest from Debility, Nervous and Liver Complaints, De. Rapid invitation; and finding her hospitable atten. Now over-concentration may be damaging pression of Spirits, Hypochondria, Timidity, Indiges. Rubicon and admiration of the supposed effort to get | since the poor fellow is so ill off that there themout of the way, afford as comica situation is only one class of topics on which he can as is not often to be encountered in life. The outer readily, may there not be something bailiffs, however, grinned and kept their gained for his associates as well as for post; they were not to be taken in or cajoled; him in letting him go his own way? If while the principal in the affair made one of one found oneself in the company of the his humorous explanations as to how it was, philosopher who has concentrated his lifeton and how it could be remedied, within the the dative case, it might be better to put closed door. The issue was that one of the bim to discourse on the dative case than to gentlemen went out with the party to settle elicit his dulness on the weather. One might Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne has led to several india-

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